## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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D'VAUGHN KEITHAN KING,

Case No. 2:25-cv-01269-RFB-EJY

Plaintiff,

v.

NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS, et al.,

Defendants.

**ORDER** 

This case commenced on July 14, 2025 when Plaintiff submitted a Civil Rights Complaint together with a check in the amount of \$350. ECF No. 1-1. The total filing fee to commence a civil case in the District of Nevada is now \$405. For this reason, the Clerk's Office returned to Plaintiff the \$350 check because it was not the full amount required.

If Plaintiff wishes to commence his civil case in this Court, he must submit the full filing fee of \$405 or complete an application to proceed *in forma pauperis*. To proceed *in forma pauperis*, that is, without **prepaying** the filing fee, Plaintiff must comply with 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a) and Local Rule LSR 1-2. This requires Plaintiff to submit **three** documents to the Court including: (1) a completed **Application to Proceed** *in Forma Pauperis* for Inmate, on this Court's approved form (*i.e.* pages 1 through 3 with the inmate's two signatures on page 3), (2) a **Financial Certificate** properly signed by both the inmate and a prison or jail official (*i.e.* page 4 of this Court's approved form), and (3) a copy of the **inmate's prison or jail trust fund account statement for the previous six-month period**.

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that no later than September 24, 2025, Plaintiff must either pay the \$405 filing fee for a civil action or file with the Court: (1) a complete Application to Proceed in Forma Pauperis for Inmate on the Court's approved form; (2) a Financial Certificate properly signed by both the inmate and a prison or jail official; and (3) a copy of the inmate's prison or jail trust fund account statement for the previous six-month period.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court must send Plaintiff the application to proceed in forma pauperis for inmates together with the information and instructions for filing the same. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Court will retain Plaintiff's Complaint (ECF No. 1-1) but will not file it at this time. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that failure to pay the \$405 filing fee or file a complete application to proceed in forma pauperis on or before September 24, 2025, will result in a recommendation to dismiss this action without prejudice. A dismissal without prejudice allows Plaintiff to file his case with the Court, under a new case number, when he is able to comply with LSR 2-1 and file a complete application to proceed in forma pauperis or pay the required filing fee. Dated this 24th day of July, 2025. UNITED(STATES MAGISPRATE JUDGE